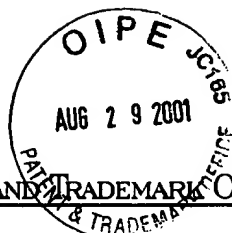




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Filing Date Granted

This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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Responsive to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers mailed August 7, 2001 (a copy of which is enclosed), applicant as a large entity submits herewith the following:

- ☒ Substitute drawings (16 sheets) in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84.
- ☐ A substitute specification in compliance with 37 CFR §1.52. No new matter has been added.
- ☐ A substitute Abstract not exceeding 150 words in length in compliance with 37 CFR 1.72(b). No new matter has been added.

It is understood that this perfects the application and no additional papers or filing fees are required.

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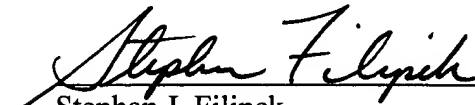
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